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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2006/10 of 1 March 2006, S/2006/10/Add.12 of 7 April 2006, S/2006/10/Add.15 of 28 April 2006, S/2006/10/Add.16 of 5 May 2006, S/2006/10/Add.21 of 9 June 2006, S/2006/10/Add.24 of 30 June 2006, S/2006/10/Add.27 of 21 July 2006, S/2006/10/Add.31 of 18 August 2006 and S/2006/10/Add.36 of 22 September 2006.

During the week ending 23 September 2006, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B (*see* S/2005/15/Add.37 and S/2006/10/Add.11)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5527th (private) meeting, held on 18 September 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

> On 18 September 2006, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 5527th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in the Sudan.
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> A briefing was made pursuant to rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure by Jan Pronk, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Sudan.

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Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (*see* S/2004/20/Add.23, 30, 35, 37, 39, 40, 44, 46 and 49; S/2005/15/Add.1, 4-6, 9-12, 18, 25, 28, 30, 37, 40, 49 and 50; and S/2006/10/Add.1, 4, 11, 12, 14-16, 18, 19, 23, 34 and 36)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5528th and 5532nd meetings, held on 18 and 22 September 2006, respectively, in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2006/728).

At the 5528th meeting, in accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Jan Pronk, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Sudan and Head of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan.

At the 5532nd meeting, the President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2006/758) submitted by the United States of America.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2006/758, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1709 (2006) (for the text, see S/RES/1709 (2006); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional organizations in maintaining international peace and security (*see* S/2005/15/Add.41)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5529th meeting, held on 20 September 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 6 September 2006 from the Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2006/719).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of Romania, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Erkki Tuomioja, representing the Presidency of the European Union; José Miguel Insulza, Secretary General of the Organization of American States; Lauro L. Baja, Chairman of the New York Committee of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations; Amre Moussa, Secretary-General of the League of Arab States; Karel de Gucht, Chairman-in-Office of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe; Vladimir Rushaylo, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Commonwealth of Independent States; Ekmeleddin Ihsanoglu, Secretary General of the Organization of the Islamic Conference; Jaap de Hoop Scheffer, Secretary General of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization; Nikolai Bordyuzha, Secretary General of the Collective Security Treaty Organization; and Terry Davis, Secretary General of the Council of Europe.

The President drew attention to the text of a statement by the President on behalf of the Council concerning the item on the Council's agenda. In accordance with the understanding reached among Council members, the statement by the

President was later issued as a document of the Security Council (for the text, see S/PRST/2006/39; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question (*see* S/2000/40/Add.39, 44, 46, 47 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.11-13, 34 and 50; S/2002/30/Add.7, 8, 10, 12-15, 17, 23, 24, 28, 29, 37, 38, 45 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.2, 6, 11, 15, 20, 23, 28, 33, 37, 41, 42, 46 and 49; S/2004/20/Add.2, 7, 11, 12, 16, 20, 25, 28, 32, 37, 40, 42, 46 and 50; S/2005/15/Add.1, 6, 7, 9, 11, 15, 19, 23, 28, 33, 37, 41, 47 and 50; and S/2006/10/Add.4, 8, 12, 15, 16, 20, 24, 25, 27, 28 and 33)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5530th meeting, held on 21 September 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 30 August 2006 from the Permanent Observer of the League of Arab States to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/700).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Bahrain, Finland and Israel, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In response to the request contained in a letter dated 21 September 2006 from the Permanent Observer of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/752), the President, in accordance with the rules of procedure and the previous practice in that regard, invite[a] the Permanent Observer of Palestine to participate in the meeting.

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) (*see* S/1999/25/Add.43 and 51; S/2000/40/Add.6, 9, 18, 22, 27, 33, 38, 45, 46 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.3, 7, 10, 11, 15, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 and 48; S/2002/30/Add.3, 6, 8, 12, 16, 19, 20, 25, 30, 35, 42, 44 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.5, 16, 23, 26, 33, 36, 43, 49 and 50; S/2004/20/Add.5, 11, 15, 17, 19, 31 and 48; S/2005/15/Add.7, 20 and 42; and S/2006/10/Add.6, 24, 27 and 36)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5531st (private) meeting, held on 22 September 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

> At its 5531st (closed) meeting, held in private on 22 September 2006, the Security Council considered the item entitled "Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)".
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> The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Albania, Finland, Germany, Italy and Serbia to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.
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> Members of the Council and Boris Tadić, President of the Republic of Serbia, had an exchange of views.

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (*see* S/1997/40/Add.21; S/1998/44/Add.35 and 49; S/1999/25/Add.10, 13, 24, 30, 43, 47 and 49; S/2000/40/Add.3, 7, 16, 17, 19, 21, 23, 30, 33, 40, 47 and 49; S/2001/15/Add.5, 8, 18, 24, 30, 35, 36, 43, 45, 50 and 51; S/2002/30/Add.4, 8, 11, 20, 22, 23, 29, 31, 32, 36, 41, 42, 44 and 48; S/2003/40/Add.3, 6, 11, 19, 21, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34 and 46; S/2004/20/Add.2, 10, 19, 23, 25, 30, 39 and 49; S/2005/15/Add.8, 12, 14, 15, 25, 27, 29, 35, 38, 39, 42 and 50; and S/2006/10/Add.3, 4, 14, 16, 25 and 30)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5533rd meeting, held on 22 September 2006 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2006/40; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2006-31 July 2007*).